

Proposed Bill No. 55

January Session, 2007

LCO No. 95

Referred to Committee on Insurance and Real Estate

Introduced by: SEN. CRISCO, 17th Dist.

AN ACT REQUIRING HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR MEDICAL SUPPLIES FOR PERSONS WITH LYMPHEDEMA.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That chapter 700c of the general statutes be amended to require
- 2 individual and group health insurance policies delivered, issued for
- delivery, renewed, amended or continued in this state on or after
- 4 October 1, 2007, to provide coverage for compression bandages,
- 5 garments and supplies for persons with lymphedema.

Statement of Purpose:

To require health insurance coverage for medical supplies for persons with lymphedema to help such persons with costs of treatment.